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This is a communication from the examiner in charge of your application.

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1. ☐ THIS IS AN ATTACHMENT TO THE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND BASE ISSUE FEE DUE.
2. ☒ All the claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS CLOSED in this application. If not attached hereto, a Notice of Allowance or other appropriate communication will be sent in due course.

- A. ☐ Note the attached PTO-152, Notice of Informality, which indicates that the declaration (or oath) is deficient and that a substitute is required. The substitute declaration (or oath) MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN THE THREE MONTH STATUTORY PERIOD SET FOR PAYMENT OF THE BASE ISSUE FEE IN THE "NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND BASE ISSUE FEE DUE" (PTOL-85), preferably with and attached to the base issue fee. Note that the statute does not permit extension of the three month period set for payment of the base issue fee. Failure to timely file the substitute declaration (or oath) will result in ABANDONMENT of the application. The transmittal letter accompanying the declaration (or oath) should indicate the following in the upper right hand corner:

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- B. ☒ Formal drawings are now required and MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN THE THREE MONTH STATUTORY PERIOD SET FOR PAYMENT OF THE BASE ISSUE FEE IN THE "NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND BASE ISSUE FEE DUE" (PTOL-85). Note that the statute does not permit extension of the three month period set to pay the base issue fee. Failure to timely submit the drawings will result in ABANDONMENT of the application. The drawings should be submitted as a separate paper with a transmittal letter which is addressed to the Official Draftsman and which indicates the following in the upper right hand corner:

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- C. ☒ The claims are allowed in view of:
- a. ☒ Applicant's communication filed 15 NOV 82 + 12 JAN 83.
- b. ☐ The interview summarized on the attached EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY RECORD, PTOI-413.
- c. ☐ The Examiner's Amendment, attached. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an appropriate amendment may be proposed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted before, or with, payment of the Base Issue Fee.
- d. ☐ An Examiner's Amendment which will follow in due course.

- D. ☒ The allowed claims are 1-37

3. ☐ Note the attached Examiners Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Any comments considered necessary by applicant regarding the reasons for allowance must be submitted no later than the payment of the Base Issue Fee, preferably with it, to avoid processing delays. Such submissions should be clearly labeled, "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance".
4. ☐ Note attached NOTICE OF REFERENCES CITED, PTO-892, which is part of this communication. The listed references are considered to be pertinent to the claimed invention, but the claims are deemed to be patentable thereover.
5. ☐ Note attached LIST OF ART CITED BY APPLICANT, PTO-1449, which is part of this communication and serves as an acknowledgment of receipt of applicant's prior art statement. The references which were considered have been initiated on the form by the examiner, and the claims are deemed patentable thereover.
6. ☐ The drawings filed on _____ are acceptable as filed. ☐ are acceptable subject to correction as indicated on the attached Notice re Drawings, PTO-948. In order to avoid ABANDONMENT of this application, correction is required. Corrections can only be made in accordance with the instructions set forth in the attached letter "INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES".
7. ☐ The ☐ proposed drawing correction and/or the ☐ proposed additional or substitute sheet(s) of drawings filed on _____ has (have) been approved by the examiner. Applicant is reminded that in order to avoid abandonment of this application, execution of the proposed changes or submission of additional or substitute drawings MUST be made in accordance with the instructions set forth in the letter, "INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES", attached to Paper No. _____.
8. ☐ The proposed drawing correction, filed _____, has been approved. However, the Patent and Trademark Office no longer makes drawing changes. It is now applicant's responsibility to ensure that the drawings are corrected. Corrections are required and MUST be effected in accordance with the instructions set forth on the attached letter "INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES".
9. ☐ In order to avoid ABANDONMENT, the drawing informalities noted on the Notice re Drawing, PTO-948, attached to Paper No. _____, must now be corrected. Applicant is reminded that the corrections can only be made in accordance with the instructions set forth in the letter "INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES" attached to the PTO-948.
10. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. 119. The certified copy has: ☐ been received. ☐ not been received. ☐ been filed in parent application, Serial No. _____ filed on _____.

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